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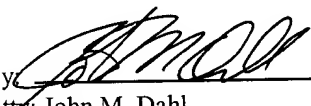
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- ☒ A return postcard.
- ☒ An Amendment and Response Under 37 CFR 1.111 (5 Pages).
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.)
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the Extension of Time Fee.
- ☒ Clean Version of Pending Claims (3 pgs.).

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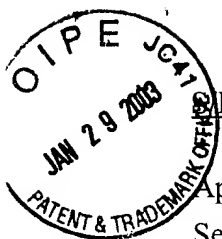

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Applicant has reviewed the Office Action mailed on September 23, 2002. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from December 23, 2002, to January 23, 2003.

IN THE DRAWINGS

The drawings were objected to under 37 CFR 1.83(a). The drawings were requested to show every feature of the invention specified in the claims. Therefore, the features of claims 35, 37, 44, and 47 were requested to be shown or the features to be cancelled from the claims.

The claims have been amended to more clearly reflect the present invention. Applicant further respectfully points out that Figure 6 as presented and the accompanying specification text do picture and describe the presently claimed features. See, e.g., angle 610 in Figure 6 and line 4 of page 10 which recites “. . .when angle 610 is equal to substantially 22.5 degrees. . .”.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the claim set in the appendix entitled Clean Version of Pending Claims for the previously pending claim set. The substitute claim set is intended to reflect cancellation of claims 31, 32, 34, and 38, amendment of previously pending claims 30, 35, and 37, and addition no new claims. The specific amendments to individual claims are detailed in the following marked up set of claims.